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## **Denmark**

### **Livestock and Products**

#### **Danish 2001 Pork Exports**

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#### **Report Highlights:**

**Danish pork exports rose in 2001 to EU countries and to Japan and Korea.**

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Danish pork exports increased in 2001 by 3,7 percent over 2000 to 1,281,086 metric tons. Denmark exports 83 percent of its production, 62.4 percent of which is shipped to other EU countries.

Exports to EU countries increased by 10.7 percent to 799,054 MT while exports to third countries decreased by 6.9 percent to 482,038 MT. Exports to UK, Italy, and Germany increased, while exports to the U.S., Russia and Poland decreased. Exports to Japan increased by 6.7 percent to 228,168. Exports to Korea remained almost unchanged.

Spare ribs exports to the U.S. are increasing while canned hams are declining. Danish branded hams (such as Plumrose) are increasingly produced in the U.S. However, exports of spare ribs decreased in 2001 due to a 10 week U.S. import ban (March - May, 2001) due to the Foot and Mouth disease outbreak in Europe.

As prices paid to pork producers increased by 18.2 percent to DKK 11.99 per kilo slaughtered weight, export revenues likewise increased by 18 percent to DKK 27,005 million (3.2 billion). EU pork export restitutions amounted to DKK 109 million (\$13 million) in 2001, reduced from DKK 483 million in 2000 and DKK 698 million in 1999.

Export Trade Matrix					
Country	Denmark		Units:	MT	
Commodity	Meat, Swine		Partial Begin	January	
			Partial End	September	
Exports for:	2000	2001	2002	2000	2001
	Full	Full	Full	Partial	Partial
U.S.	62098	50841			
Others					
UK	237917	233751			
Germany	214340	287551			
Japan	213768	228168			
Italy	106061	130557			
Russia	93339	83107			
France	70919	71451			
Sweden	37350	36579			
Korea	17116	22067			
Poland	21751	8970			
Other EU Countries	54924	51953			
Total for Others	1067485	1154154	0	0	0
Others not Listed	106843	76091			

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Grand Total	1236426	1281086	0	0	0
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